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SUBJECT: ANTITRUST: ACQUISTION BY RHEINCHEM OF CHEMETRON
PIGMENTS DIVISION

REF: STATE 178724

1. FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION (FTC) HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT
THAT IT WILL ON AUGUST 25 FILE A COMPLAINT AND SEEK A
PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION AGAINST THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION
BY RHEINCHEM, A SECOND LEVEL WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF
BAYER A.G., OF CHEMETRON CORPORATION, A US COMPANY WHOLLY
OWNED BY ALLEGHENY LUDLUM INDUSTRIES, INC. AS INDICATED
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IN REFTTEL THE WEST GERMAN AUTHORITIES ARE AWARE OF THE
PROPOSED ACQUISITION.

2. ADDRESSEES ARE REQUESTED TO NOTIFY THE APPROPRIATE HOST
GOVERNMENT AGENCIES OF THE PROPOSED FTC ACTION UNDER THE
1967 OECD RECOMMENDATION ON RESTRICTIVE BUSINESS
PRACTICES. CHRISTOPHER

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